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SUBJECT: DJIBOUTI: SECTION 1206 PROPOSAL FINAL COORDINATION

REF: A. DJIBOUTI 33

[1](#)B. 07 STATE 84130 (NOTAL)

[1](#)C. 07 STATE 16616 (NOTAL)

Classified By: DCM ERIC M. WONG. REASONS: 1.4 (A), (D).

[1](#)1. (C) In addition to the FY 2008 Section 1206 funding request for military assistance to the Armed Forces of Djibouti (FAD)--i.e., proposal for a Djibouti Counterterrorism Communications Package (CCP) submitted in January 2008 (reftel)--Embassy Djibouti also fully supports and concurs with the FY 2008 Section 1206 Tranche 2 submission Tab G: East Africa and South West Indian Ocean (EASWIO) Maritime Governance Improvement Initiative.

[1](#)2. (C) The EASWIO Maritime Governance Improvement Initiative will help enhance regional stability and security in the critical Horn of Africa by building on recent USG-sponsored maritime security initiatives, including the 2007 EASWIO Maritime Security Conference and Port Security Seminar that drew 175 senior participants from 19 countries.

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